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Boy Scouts' Apple Day.

This Saturday, October 21st, is Boy Scouts' Apple Day.

The boys will be on the streets with the apples, and no doubt everyone will be requested to buy an apple.

This is the Scouts' method of raising funds to carry on their work and it is practically the only time the public are asked to help the good cause.

If you are asked to buy an apple—don't turn the boys down. You get real value when you help the Scouts.

Red Cross Work Getting Underway

The Alberta Division of the Canadian Red Cross Society has received from the District Officer Commanding Military District No. 18 a request for socks, sweaters and 2,000 pairs of gloves or mitts, to be supplied to mobilized troops in Alberta. More than 200 branches of volunteer Red Cross workers have received their instructions for meeting this call and are now working on the emergency order. Working in co-operation with them are numerous independent groups of women in church and other societies.

The first move is just a "try-out" for the thousands of enthusiastic Alberta workers who have volunteered to aid in maintaining Red Cross records during the present war period.

Organized to furnish volunteer aid to the sick and wounded of armies in times of war, and in times of peace or war to carry-on and assist in work for the improvement of health, the prevention of disease and the mitigation of suffering throughout the world, the Society has done remarkable service.

During the last war the Canadian Society received over \$85,000,000 in goods and cash from the people of Canada. It sent overseas 341,325 cases of supplies, of which 147,270 were for hospital units in England. In addition, assistance was given to France and others of the Allies.

As an auxiliary to the Canadian Army Medical Corps it built and equipped a number of hospitals for Canadian wounded, contributed recreation rooms, special chest wards and gymnasiums to Canadian hospitals in England and France and issued supplies to all Canadian hospitals in addition to extra comforts supplied to individual patients through the Information Bureau and Prisoners of War Department. It also provided rest homes for nurses and provided and maintained ambulances in both France and England.

By its charter the Society in Canada is constituted the official channel through which voluntary gifts shall reach the Department of Militia and Defence. As an auxiliary of that department it is organized to deal with the collection and distribution of field comforts. The Dominion Government has intimated that it will need Red Cross assistance in the present war along the lines rendered by the Society in the last war.

On November 18th a Dominion-wide drive will be opened to raise Red Cross funds to meet the Society's needs in the present war emergency. The goal set by the National Executive for this campaign is \$3,000,000, of which Alberta's allocation will be \$150,000. Joint chairmen in the Alberta campaign will be Mr. W. J. Dick, of Edmonton, for the north, and Mayor Andrew Davison, Calgary, for the south.

Olds Men Growing Beards.

Sixty men of Olds have signed an agreement that they will allow their whiskers to grow until after the Klondyke Karnival, to be held on November 2, 3 and 4, or pay a fine of \$5.00, according to a report made by Chas. Norman, manager of the Karnival.

Every kind of beard that can be grown is in evidence on the streets of Olds right now, from the fuzzy variety to the old grey stubble—and some mixtures, at that!

Rural Ladies Attend "Institute" Convention

The Federal Women's Institute Convention, which was held in conjunction with the Alberta W.I. Convention last week, when every province in the Dominion was represented by one of its ablest women, proved a very interesting affair.

A highlight at the banquet held on Friday night, at which Hon. W. Aberhart, Mrs. Aberhart, Lt.-Gov. Bowen and Mrs. Bowen and others were guests-of-honor, was when Mrs. Wm. Stewart, of Peace River, president of the Alberta Women's Institutes, in her own words, recalled the experience of herself and her husband on the torpedoed liner "Athenia."

Before the close of the convention the Alberta delegates presented Mrs. Stewart with a beautifully engraved gold watch to replace the one lost on the sunken liner.

The Alberta Women's Institutes during the past year had undertaken the work of raising funds to purchase radium for treatment of cancer, and at the Thursday afternoon session presented a cheque for \$2,000 to the board of managers of the University Hospital at Edmonton to aid in the treatment of cancer patients.

Didsbury West Constituency of the Alberta Women's Institutes was well represented at the Provincial W.I. Convention held in Edmonton last week, the following attending:

Mrs. N. Eckel, Constituency Convenor; Mrs. Joe Clark, Lone Pine W.I.; Mrs. Alex Robertson, Jr., Westcott branch; Mrs. Alex Bouck, Big Prairie Institute; Mrs. James Devolin, Siebertville W.I.; Mrs. H. Jackson and Mrs. James Hosegood, Rugby W.I.

There are eight branches in the constituency, three not being represented. Mountain View, Cremona and Sunnybrook were unable to send delegates on account of the busy threshing season.

Several of the ladies returned on Saturday and reported a successful and delightful convention.

Registration of Voters Closes October 31st

The registration of relatives and tenants to have their names put on the Town Voters' List has not up to the present been given the attention it merits.

The Lists will be closed on October 31st, and any relative or tenant who has not been registered by that date will be deprived of their vote at the Town election in February next.

Some are under the impression that because their name was on the Voters' List last year they are not required to register, but under the Town Act relatives and tenants are required to register every year in the months of September and October.

If YOU have not already done so—register at the Town Office—AT ONCE! Thank you

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Discuss Road From Highway to Town

The building of the road from the highway to Didsbury across the golf links was discussed at a meeting of the town council on Monday night when Reeve Archer, Councillor J. Rupp and Secretary Brusso of Mountain View M.D. were present.

A letter from Premier Aberhart, who had promised a special entrance into Didsbury, was read in which it was stated that the government would provide the bridge and give a grant to the Mountain View Municipality for grading, but were not prepared to make any further contributions for the purchase of the right-of-way or graveling the road.

The Mountain View Council felt that if the road was to be built, some assistance should be given by the Town towards the cost of the right-of-way and graveling.

The mayor pointed out that it was doubtful if the town council had powers to expend any money on roads outside the town limits.

It was decided to place the matter before the Board of Trade in order to discuss ways and means of raising funds to assist building of the road.

The proposed road will be a continuation of the market road from the east and will eliminate local traffic from travelling a half-mile south on the highway and the bad hill to go under the subway or take the dangerous hairpin turn from the highway to the south market road.

Coming . . .

Legion Dance—Rugby Hall tomorrow night.

Amateur Contest at the Carstairs East Hall tomorrow night.

Chicken Supper? Yes. The Evangelical Ladies are serving a chicken supper in the basement of their church on Saturday, Oct. 21st from 5 to 8 p.m. Roast chicken done to a turn and oodles of good things to go with it. This grand meal for only 40c to adults and 20c to children. We hope to be seeing you!

Coming — Rev. Dr. George W. Kerby, Principal of Mount Royal College, Calgary, will give a lecture in Knox United Church on Monday, October 23rd, at 8 p.m. The subject of the lecture will be "Visitations, Observations, Personal Contacts, and the Questions of War and Peace, resulting from my Recent Trip to the Old Country." Adults 35c, children 25c

Thursday, October 26—I.O.D.E. Local Talent Concert in aid of Britain's evacuated children. Opera House, 8 p.m.

Neapolis High School Literary Society, Hallowe'en Novelty Dance on Friday night, October 27, at the Mountain View Community Hall. Admission: Gents 50c, ladies free.

Westcott Women's Institute will hold a Miscellaneous Program and Bazaar in Westcott School on Friday evening, November 3rd. Adults 25c, children 12 to 15, 15c. Supper will be served

Mountain View M.D. Postpone Tax Sale

The tax sale which the Municipality of Mountain View was to hold this (Thursday) morning has been adjourned until Thursday, November 2nd.

The reason given for the postponement of the sale was that on account of the inclement weather during the past few weeks threshing operations had been held up and delaying the sale will give the taxpayers an opportunity to make settlement and have their land removed from the tax sale.

We are given to understand that the Council are anxious to have as many parcels taken from the tax sale list as possible, and are willing to allow tax consolidation in most cases to assist in making settlement.

M.B.C. Church Notes.

Revival Services at the M.B.C. Church commence on Sunday, October 22nd and will continue until Sunday, November 5th. Rev. J. S. Woods of Pontiac, Michigan, will be the evangelist.

Services will be held every week-day night at 8 p.m.

The Bible School Opening will be held Wednesday, October 25, when there will be services all day.

All are welcome to attend the above services.

In Aid of Britain's Evacuated Children



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Thursday, Oct. 26th

at 8 p.m.

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The Problems Of War

The war in which Canada is currently engaged as an active participant may be expected to solve, at least temporarily, some of the problems which have sorely afflicted the country in the past few years. On the other hand, it may serve to accentuate some problems later on, if not now.

It is apparent, for instance, that in a war of even moderate duration, a wide scale relief problem is destined to vanish for the time being. Certainly, with the demand for man power for the fighting forces, for accelerated industries and to some extent for augmented agricultural effort, there should be none idle in the urban centres except those who would normally be unemployed by reason of advanced age or physical or mental infirmity. Even some of the latter will, no doubt, find it possible to make some contributions towards their own support under war conditions.

In the rural districts, which will be called upon to supply allied bellicents with large quantities of foodstuffs, a widespread relief problem is almost inconceivable while the war is in progress, except where such condition may be induced by complete crop failure over a wide area—a condition which it is hoped will not recur in the lifetime of the present generation. Even however, if crop failure should occur as a result of drought or from any other cause, it is a reasonable assumption that many resourceful country residents would be able to find some more or less remunerative occupation in the larger centres, opportunities afforded because of the existence of a state of war.

The Railway Problem

The war, too, may be expected to some extent to ameliorate the national railway problem. If Canada is to fulfill one of her principal missions in the war she will not only provide the allied fighting forces and their nations with large quantities of food, but also substantial supplies of arms, munitions, aeroplanes and possibly ocean bottoms, as well as raw materials for the processing of these and other commodities outside the country.

The transportation of such raw materials and finished commodities may reasonably be expected to furnish the railways with a very material increase in tonnage to the full extent of availability of rolling stock and just so long as the allied navies are able to keep the sea lanes between this continent and Europe open. Hence, as long as the war is in progress, a big increase in railway earnings may be expected with a corresponding shrinkage in deficits.

The war may also be expected speedily to terminate the expenditure of considerable sums of money on public works of the type now still being authorized by the federal government as unemployment relief measures. Not only should there be no unemployed requiring assistance in this or any other form, but the monies now being used for this purpose will undoubtedly be required for the prosecution of the war.

Sacrifices In Prospect

While the sharp curtailment or disappearance of these irritating problems may be anticipated for the duration of the struggle overseas, the other side of the balance sheet is destined to show some losses, temporarily at least.

For example, there is little doubt that the war will bring a halt to the demand for larger expenditures for social reforms, not only because the money which might have been allocated for such schemes under happier auspices, will be required for the more vigorous prosecution of the war, but also because improved economic conditions will reduce to some extent the necessity for such expenditures. In this category may be placed such social projects as state hospitalization and medical care, extension of the old age pension plan and others of that type.

It is even possible that the exigencies of a prolonged war may, in course of time, necessitate reduction in expenditures for such highly essential services as education and public health, a contingency which, it is devoutly to be hoped, can be avoided. One of the surest ways of avoiding such a misfortune is to prosecute the war with such vigor and strength and unity of purpose and with all the available resources, that it will be brought to as speedy a conclusion as possible.

There are many cherished schemes, existent and potential, which may have to be sacrificed or curtailed before the war is over, but the most certain way to reduce these sacrifices to a minimum is to make the prosecution of the war the matter of greatest concern, and that, in turn, signifies a joint co-operative effort on the part of every citizen of the country. There is no one who cannot make some contribution towards a speedy termination of the war. Until the war is over, the social and economic progress of the country on a sound basis is bound to be hampered and delayed.

Blackout Glass

Noted Scientist

Ingenuous Lighting Scheme Has Been Professor Sigmund Freud Dies At His Home In England

In Europe much of the engineers' ingenuity of the nations is curstained originator of psycho-analysis recently devoted to the devising of ways and means to protect cities from the ravages of air raids.

One of the first rules of self-preservation in the event of night air raids is that there should be no visible light emanating from buildings. In France a simple but ingenious lighting scheme has been devised to foil nighttime bombers. It consists merely of a combination of blue glass windows and orange lamps.

When the correct degrees of coloring are attained, the rays of the orange lamps do not effectively pass through the blue window panes, and are thus invisible to aircraft at night. The blue windows will pass about 75 per cent of the incident sunlight by day. Brandon Sun

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Must Be Licensed

Order-in-Council Now In Effect Governs Metal Exports

Metal such as copper and nickel may be exported from Canada only under license obtained from Hon. J. L. Ilsley, minister of revenue, it was announced.

Licensing of such metal exports, a wartime measure, was authorized by order-in-council and the system has already gone into effect.

Licenses for export to the United States for consumption in that country are being given freely, government officials made clear, and it is expected the licensing provision will exert little interference with normal business and trade.

The measure was taken partly to prevent valuable metals from being traded to the enemy and partly to conserve domestic supplies. It applies to all key metals.

Will Serve Without Pay

Approximately 100 men have sent offers to the Voluntary Service Registration Bureau, Ottawa, to serve without remuneration in any capacity in which the government might need their services, the bureau revealed. One man who recently retired from a \$5,000-a-year executive job is ready to serve on a dollar-a-year basis.

Albania is to have 750 miles of centuries-old roads rebuilt.

Turtle racing is popular in Maidenhead, England, a ten-yard race lasting about an hour.

A dolphin, weighing nearly a ton, was found lodged in a creek near Leigh-on-Sea, England.

Message From Queen Mary

Expresses Admiration For Wonderful Spirit Of British Women

Queen Mary issued a message from Marlborough House expressing admiration for the "wonderful spirit" with which British women are meeting wartime emergencies and difficulties.

Her message read:

I wish to express my admiration at the way my countrywomen have come forward in thousands to give help in the present emergency. The Queen, my dear daughter-in-law, has told me of the wonderful spirit shown all sides, of which she has found ample proof in her visits to various centres.

I wish to send a special greeting to all nurses, more particularly those belonging to services of which I am president—Queen Alexandra's Royal Naval Nursing Service and the Territorial Army Nursing Service.

I know that they will carry out their arduous duties in the splendid tradition of those services and I would like them to know that they have my good wishes wherever they may be.

At the same time, my daughter, the Princess Royal, asks me to join with her in sending greetings to all members of the Princess Mary's Air Force Nursing Service.

I am mindful also of the invaluable work of the Queen's nurses, who are exceptionally busy now in the reception areas. It is my constant prayer that God's blessing may be on the merciful work of all nurses throughout the empire.

Rates A Little Lower

Northern Points Favored On Newspapers And Periodicals Sent By Air

A reduction in air mail rates on newspapers and periodicals to and from distant northern points was announced by Postmaster-General Norman L. McLarty.

The new rates, now effective, will affect distant settlements and mining camps in the Northwest Territories, British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba and Ontario. Telegraph Creek, B.C., will be eligible for the reduction in winter only, the announcement said.

When mailed by the public, second class matter may be sent to such points at the rate of one cent for each four ounces or fraction of four ounces. Posted from the office of publication or from newsdealers, the rate will be four cents a pound.

The regular air mail postage requires six cents for the first ounce and five cents for each additional ounce.

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Awarded Baly Medal

Dr. C. H. Best Of Toronto First Canadian To Receive It

The first Canadian to be so honored, Dr. C. H. Best, head of the Department of Physiology in the University of Toronto, has been awarded the Baly Medal by the Royal College of Physicians of England, an award made every alternate year to the person deemed to have most distinguished himself in physiology.

The medal, of the value of \$100, is customarily presented on the occasion of the Harveyian Oration on October 18, and Dr. Best was invited to be present.

Dr. Best has also been awarded the John Mallett Purser Lectureship by the medical faculty of Trinity College, Dublin, and hopes to be able to deliver the lecture a little later.

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National Films Designed To Depict The Different Aspects Of Life In Canada

Hon. W. D. Euler, minister of trade and commerce, announces the appointment of the members of the national film board which was provided for by parliament on May 2, 1939, and which has now been created by order-in-council. The general purposes of the board are to co-ordinate the film activities of the various governmental departments, "with a view to securing quality, economy and efficiency in the production and distribution of government films." The main concern of the new board will be the organization of a central government film distribution and public information service. There will be no interference with commercial film organizations.

The first duty of the board will be the appointment of a government film commissioner who will be the chief executive officer of the organization.

In addition to Mr. Euler, as a member of the King's privy council and chairman of the board, Hon. T. A. Crerar, minister of mines and resources, has also been appointed from this body.

The act provides that in addition to the two members of the King's privy council, three members of the civil service and three from outside of the civil service shall be appointed. The members from the civil service are J. G. Parmelee, O.B.E., deputy minister of trade and commerce, who for a considerable number of years has had supervision over the motion picture bureau and of the dissemination of departmental films not only throughout Canada but to other portions of the world; R. S. Hamer, general executive assistant of the department of agriculture, and Colonel V. I. Smart, deputy minister of transport. The members from outside of the civil service are three men prominent in Canadian affairs. These are Professor Walter C. Murray, former president of the University of Saskatchewan and at the present time president of the Canadian Film Company and member of the board of directors of the National Film Society of Canada; Edmond Turcotte, formerly editor-in-chief of *Le Canada*, Montreal, and a well-known journalist, and C. G. Cowan of the American Bank Note Company, who is in addition vice-president of the National Film Society of Canada, and who in 1927 was prominently connected with the organiza-

tion for the celebration of the jubilee of Canada's Confederation.

The national film board, as has been stated, will not interfere in any way with commercial film organizations. The national aspect is designed to co-ordinate existing departmental film activities, each of which has been carrying on in furtherance of some proposed policy or aim in which it is directly interested. The department of trade and commerce has maintained a motion picture bureau which has developed to a great degree during the past number of years. The appointment of Hon. W. D. Euler, minister of the department, as chairman, and of J. G. Parmelee, deputy minister of trade and commerce, as a member of the board, is therefore considered appropriate. It is further regarded as appropriate that Colonel Smart of the department of transport, who also supervises the operations of the travel bureau, should be a member of the board. The national parks branch, under the department of mines and resources, of which Hon. T. A. Crerar is minister, also makes scenic films. The department of agriculture, which is represented on the new board by Mr. Hamer, produces films demonstrating approved methods in certain phases of agriculture in order to inform and instruct the farmers of the Dominion.

In general terms it may be stated that "national" films are "prestige-building" films. They have been described as "depicting in a dramatic or imaginative way different aspects of the country's life, work, resources and achievements in various fields, social, industrial, etc. They are designed to sell the 'idea' of a country in terms of natural perspectives." They are further described as films which are intended "to show Canadians how Canadians live and work and the problems with which they have to contend, but they should build up in Canadians—and particularly the younger generation—an effective system of loyalty to their country and its future. And that is not all. They should serve to impress Canada and Canadians favorably on the minds of people of other countries by showing us to them as we are, what we do, how we live—in other words, in terms of humanity and human endeavor and achievement. Thus we project the 'idea' of Canada and make the 'idea' of Canada more memorable."

Heavy Penalties

Masquerading In Military Uniform Has Become A Serious Offence

By virtue of the Official Secrets Act, passed by parliament at its last session, masquerading in the uniform of an enlisted man or officer in His Majesty's forces has become a more serious offence. In certain circumstances it is punishable by a \$2,000 fine and seven years' imprisonment.

While it has always been an offence to wear the King's uniform illegally, this offence has been dealt with under a section of the criminal code which prescribes a maximum penalty of \$200 fine and 12 months' imprisonment.

Since passing of the Official Secrets Act, anyone wearing the uniform to get into prohibited areas such as airports, coastal defence bases or other military establishments will be liable to the increased penalty. Any cases of a person merely masquerading in a uniform for harmless reasons may be dealt with under the criminal code.

Not Taking The Axe

Sambo had found a job for the week on a railroad section gang, and was taking leave of his family, when his wife came to the door.

"Come back, Sam. You hasn't cut a stick of wood fo' de stove—and you'll be gone fo' a week!"

Sam turned and looked very much aggrieved. "Honey," he said in a tone of injured innocence, "what's de mattah? You-all talks as though Ah was takin' de axe with me."

A saxophone player has developed a device for sounding the instrument electrically. Hundreds are hoping it shocks him.

China Is Confident

People Will Continue Fight Until They Have Conquered Japan

The Chinese people, having tasted the appalling bombing horrors which have occurred all over their country, of an enlisted man or officer in His Majesty's forces has become a more serious offence. In certain circumstances it is punishable by a \$2,000 fine and seven years' imprisonment.

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Started Conscience Fund

A contribution in 1811, during the Madison administration, from some anonymous person whose conscience hurt him, started a "conscience fund" in the U.S. treasury which to-day totals more than \$650,000.

Automobiles are being built safer and safer each year. Roads are better designed, so as to eliminate hazards. The one safety factor that seems hardest of all to improve is the fool behind the wheel. 2327

Essential Home Services

Must Not Be Let Down During This Period Of Stress

Mr. Justice H. H. Davis, president of the Board of Governors, stressed the need of forwarding "essential home services" during the present war period, in a statement issued following a special meeting of the executive council Victorian Order of Nurses for Canada. Lady Tweedsmuir, honorary president of the Order, attended.

"Competent nursing in the homes of the people in town and country throughout Canada on a basis adapted to circumstances of the patient or family, must not be relaxed at this time, but rather pressed forward with renewed vigour and determination," Mr. Davis said in his statement, unanimously approved by the council.

"Essential home services must not be let down at this time," the statement continued. "The Victorian Order was instituted and has been maintained for more than 40 years with one definite purpose—home nursing service—for times of war no less than for times of peace.

"Other social and charitable agencies meet the special needs of a condition of war, but the Victorian Order as a national voluntary organization will adhere to its regular work of providing nursing services in the home."

Regrassing Experiments

One Of The Aspects Under The Prairie Rehabilitation Act

Regrassing, as one aspect of reclamation work under the Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Act, has for its objective the establishment or improvement of grass cover on areas of farm land which are unsuitable for ordinary crop production. Many regrassing experiments are in progress throughout Western Saskatchewan and Southern Alberta.

During the past three years an extensive series of experiments have been laid down throughout west central Saskatchewan and east central Alberta. These experiments which consist largely of dates, rates, and methods of seeding crested wheat grass, and in some case in comparison with bromegrass, have made excellent progress during the current season. One outstanding result is that late fall seeding of crested wheat grass is superior to early spring seeding and that both methods are better than seeding at other times. It has been observed that crested wheat grass can be established in, and eventually displace, heavy stands of Russian thistle. At six points in the Special Areas of Alberta, the regrassing experiments cover a total area of 2,450 acres.

Barred From Irish Ports

The Free State government will resist any attempt to use Irish ports as a base for belligerent activities, it was stated in official quarter in Dublin, in commenting on rumors German submarines had visited ports in territorial waters in southern Ireland. These reports, which are circulating in London, were denied.

History Would Indicate

That Food Canning Owes Its Inception To War

Something They Miss

Younger Generation Gets No Thrill From First Train Ride

Ann Rutherford in the Stratford Beacon-Herald says:

Familiarity never breeds contempt for the train. From the horizon it rushes—a snorting, fascinating, mysterious monster—and toward the horizon it goes on strange quests, bearing precious freight. In between journeys, the tracks are steel ribbons beckoning toward adventure.

To the eyes of a child the train is a dragon straight out of the fairy books. The great head is lifted proudly. It breathes out smoke in the daytime and glows with fire at night. The single eye is ferocious. Its raucous voice rises to sweep traffic from the crossings before it, for nothing may stand in its way. It is Power, the power of a sinuous body, gleaming with bright, square scales or cracking with dull, practical staves.

The first ride on this all-conquering thing is never to be forgotten. It is an experience beyond words. We of the older generation made our first journeys at early age. We toddled up and down the aisles to the chagrin of kindly conductors, long before we were quite steady on our feet. We made friends with the plush seats and the queer shades at the windows. And though details slip away in later years and dates are blank, the grandeur of that first ride has brightened all travelling.

A generation is growing up now which misses all that. Often the first train ride comes in the late teens, when wonder is kept under rigid control. Sooner or later, tickets have to be bought but this is only a mechanical task, not an adventure. It becomes only a variation on the automobile ride, not far removed from the commonplace.

Perhaps we who recall something of the thrill of our first train ride may be pardoned for thinking the younger generation is missing a great experience, through putting it off too long.

The Island Of Sylt

Is Largest Of German Islands In The North Sea

While Sylt, the fortified island off the coast of Schleswig which the British have bombed, is the largest of the German islands in the North Sea, its area of 38 square miles is but little greater than that of Toronto. It is, however, of very different shape, for while it is 23 miles long, it is in many places but half a mile in width. It is remarkable for place names ending in "um", the chief centres including Keitum, Timmum, Morsum and Rantum.—Toronto Star.

North America has more than 500 different species of native trees.

There's Little Work On This



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Household Arts by Alice Brooks

Lovely Decoration Can Be Made at Budget Cost

Canning of food owes its inception to war. In 1795 Napoleon offered a prize of 12,000 francs for an improved and practical method of preserving food from one harvest to another. The prize was won in 1804 by Nicholas Appert, a confectioner of Paris, whose containers were made of wired and corked glass jars. The introduction of a metal container was due to an Englishman, Peter Durand, who was granted a patent in England in 1810. He called his container a tin can, as the pattern was based on that of a tea canister. Most of the recent improvements in canning have been made in the North American continent.

The link with Napoleon, says the Imperial Economic Committee in its world-wide survey of the trade in canned food and the fact that canned foods were used on a large scale in the Crimean War, the American Civil War, and in British colonial wars may cause undue emphasis to be laid on military necessity as a factor in the development of canning. It has undoubtedly played an important part, but the most powerful stimulus was the demand created by the industrial and agricultural expansion in the second half of the nineteenth century, and the development of new areas of food production remote from consuming markets. As the demand in these markets increased, local industries were established for the canning of home-grown produce.

The commercial marketing of canned foods began about 1820, among the first foods so marketed being sardines and peas. In Canada, commercial canning is one of the oldest of the larger organized industries. The first canning factory in Canada was established at Grimsby, Ont., in 1878. Canada is now one of the leading countries of the world in the canning of food, particularly vegetables and fruit.

Speed Of Planes

Quick Handling Of Planes In Warfare More Important Than Speed

Preliminary comment from military observers indicated that up to now the war may have proved nations are placing undue emphasis on speed in their warplanes.

Maneuverability in combat, they said, may be as important, if not more important, than speed when a pursuit pilot finds himself at close quarters with an enemy.

French and British pursuit planes of lesser speed apparently have been holding their own, according to censored despatches with German fighting planes which have broken world speed records.

A despatch passed by the French censor said a single French pilot had shot down three Messerschmidt fighters. Last April 27, it was announced at Augsburg, Germany, Fritz Wendel had set a new world speed mark of 469.2 miles an hour with a Messerschmidt pursuit.

On two occasions when Royal Air Force planes encountered German craft over the North Sea the British planes out-maneuvered the enemy.

Had Different Idea

Moose Refused To Be Ridden By Nova Scotia Guide

One of the Nova Scotia guides who travel the Lunenburg County woods, Donald Feindel has a good story.

Paddling home from a fishing trip with Ford Spidel, another guide, he saw a cow moose swimming near his canoe. He jumped astride the animal to ride her across the lake.

But the moose wasn't to be used for a beast of burden that night. She quickly submerged, dragging Feindel under. They both came up on the other side of the canoe, and as the guide scrambled into the boat, the moose snorted and swam towards shore.

A writer says the average of honesty is greater among fat men, which probably is explained by the fact that it is hard for them to stoop to low things.

The lep-eared rabbit has ears that trail the ground.

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J. E. Gooder - Editor & Manager**The World of Wheat**

By H. G. L. STRANGE

Director "Crop Testing Plan"

A despatch from Ottawa tells us that Hon T. A. Crerar, who is to be Canada's representative to Great Britain, is taking overseas with him "The Canadian Wheat Puzzle". It would be better put, it seems to me, if the despatch had stated that the Honorable Mr. Crerar is taking to Great Britain the most welcome news of the splendid contribution that Western Canadian farmers have made to ultimate victory in the form of the large amount of wheat they have produced, and which is available for Allied use.

In 1914 there was no wheat surplus, and it was "touch and go" whether there would be enough food for the Allied Armies and Civilians, but the wonderful Western Canadian wheat crop of 1915 assured the necessary supplies of foodstuffs. This year Western farmers have again produced a great surplus of wheat, which is certainly the world's most important war munition, for no army can fight without food and of all foods required by soldiers, none quite compare with good bread made from high quality wheat.

The news, which Mr. Crerar is taking with him, of this generous supply of fine Canadian wheat, will unquestionably be heartily welcomed by Great Britain and her Allies.

Following factors have tended to raise price: France and Britain reject Hitler's peace proposals -- Britain taking large quantities of Australian wheat and wheat flour -- Margins for futures trading further reduced on Chicago market -- Britain purchases large quantity of wheat from Uruguay.

Following factors have tended to lower price: Argentine moisture situation very satisfactory -- Rains bring relief to seeding operations in U.S. winter wheat belt -- Good seeding conditions in India -- Argentine corn seeding very satisfactory with an expected large acreage -- Seeding of fall grains progressing in the Balkans -- Supplies of corn in U.S. amount to three billion 100 million bushels -- Recent rains in Australia benefit crop greatly.

"The Toy Wife"

"The Toy Wife," starring Louise Rainer, with Melvyn Douglas and Robert Young sharing honors as leading men, is the special attraction which comes to the Opera House this weekend. The film is Miss Rainer's first since she and Spencer Tracy, both Academy Award winners for 1937, were co-starred.

A story of life in new Orleans and on the Louisiana plantations of the 1850's, "The Toy Wife" presents Miss Rainer in the title role of "Froufrou" Brigard, with Douglas as George Sartoris, attorney and political figure and Young as Andre Vallaire, gambler, swordsman and also suitor for her hand.

Heading the supporting cast is Barbara O'Neill, H. B. Warner and Alma Kruger. Other players include Walter Kingsford, Leonard Penn and Allen Perl.

Carstairs E. Community

Don't miss the big amateur contest at the hall, Friday, Oct. 20th.

Threshing is now in full swing and if fine weather holds out this week, very little will be left unthreshed.

Alex Gore narrowly escaped death last week when he got pinned between his truck and a granary. He had moved truck to clean and it rolled back and caught him against the granary. His helper dodged the truck and then rushed to the cab and moved the truck. Alex fell unconscious when released and was under the doctor's care for some days. He is able to move around again.

Mrs. Sidney Bouck, who has been caring for her infant child at Calgary is unable to return home on account of ill-health.

Knox United Church Notes

At all points on the charge this Sunday the Minister will discuss the theme "The United Church at work at home and abroad."

With all the extra calls upon our interest and support, we must not forget that the church carries on day and night around the world and needs our steady sympathy and continuous support.

A hearty invitation is extended to any who have no church home to make the United Church service nearest your home your church home.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of thanking our many friends for their expressions of sympathy and for floral tributes received during our recent sad bereavement.

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7:45 p.m.—Preaching Service, including Young People's meeting every alternate Sunday.
Wednesday Evenings, 8 o'clock, Prayer Service.

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Rev. J. M. Fawcett, Pastor

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7:30 p.m.: Service.
Westcott 11:00 a.m.
Westerdale 3:00 p.m.

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10:30 a.m. Morning Worship
11:30 a.m. Sunday School.
7:30 p.m. Evening Service.
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Monday 5 p.m. Intermediate
Monday 7:30 p.m. Senior
Wednesday Evening, at 8, Prayer Mtg

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Oct. 22, 11 a.m., Morning Service.

On Wednesday evening, Oct. 25, a Service of Intercession will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lowrie at 8 p.m.

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Mountain View Notes

The October meeting of Mountain View Women's Institute was held on Thursday, October 5th, at the home of Mrs. Ed Barnes. A very large crowd was present. A hand made doolie was raffled, Mrs. W. Thurlow being the lucky ticketholder with No. 85. The Institute members will assist the Red Cross by doing sewing and knitting as soon as supplies are received.

Mrs. W. Shultz gave an interesting paper on Handicrafts, and many useful patterns and hints were distributed. A Handicrafts contest was held. Mrs. Glen Fulkerth being awarded the prize for the best article made from a flour sack. The articles were then sold by auction.

The next meeting will be held the third Thursday in November at the home of Mrs. Ellis Barnes. Two topics will be dealt with. Mrs. J. Worrall will deal with "Current Events," while Mrs. B. St Clair will give a paper on Public Health.

Following the adjournment of the business meeting, tea was served by the hostess.

Notes From the West

Mr. and Mrs. M. Campbell were Calgary visitors on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Rhinehart, of Westcott, were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. Bagshaw on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Parker were Saturday visitors with Mrs. Mc Arthur of Harmattan.

Mr. and Mrs. Davidson, of Westcott, spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. G. Byrt.

Items of Interest

Culled from the nerve centres.

Ottawa: Fixing the prices of particular commodities has not been considered by the wartime price board, it was announced recently. The board has been holding daily sessions. Complaints of profiteering, several prosecutions for food hoarding and general problems, are said to have been engaging the attention of board members.

Calgary: Allowable production from 88 wells in Turner Valley has been increased to 26,000 barrels of crude oil per day. This was announced by the Alberta Petroleum & Natural Gas Conservation Board. Proration of individual wells now sets an output of from 65 to 850 barrels per day.

Edmonton: Prediction that Canada will be the centre of the British Empire was made here recently by Senator A. McDonald of New Brunswick. He thought that Canada's population would increase to at least 25,000,000, largely as a result of immigration from England after the war. Senator McDonald is the only independent member of the Canadian senate.

Ottawa: Alarmists who have been telling of potato shortages find no confirmation in the latest estimates of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. This report sets 38,875,000 hundredweight as production for 1939 as compared with 35,938,000 hundredweight for 1938. The same report estimates an increase of 19 per cent in sugar beets, bringing production from 527,000 tons in 1938 to an estimated 628,000 tons this season.

Calgary: Price of butter jumped another cent a pound here recently, to bring the total increase to 5 cents during the last month. This is due to "legitimate" causes rather than speculation, according to creamery men. Poor pasturage following a dry July is responsible for a drop in cream receipts, they said.

Preliminaries to bush work and the logging season in Eastern Canada is being reflected in the sales of Alberta horses in recent days. During the past week approximately three carloads of grade animals were collected by buyers and shipped east. Other loads are expected to follow. Prices for the grade animals this fall are practically the same as last year, from \$100 to \$110 for animals weighing from 1,450 to 1,600 pounds.

Scout and Cub Corner.

Scouts will muster at Headquarters 7:30 tonight. Duty Patrol, Wolves

Active in the Boy Scout movement for many years, Frank Foulds of Calgary, District Superintendent of the Dominion Seed Branch, has been appointed Assistant Provincial Scout Commissioner for Alberta.

He will be associated with Major E Clarke, of Edmonton, who was also appointed an Assistant Provincial Commissioner.

The new posts were created at a recent meeting of the Alberta Provincial Council of the Boy Scouts' Association to relieve Lt.-Col. J. H. Woods, C.M.G., of Calgary, of some of his duties as Provincial Commissioner. Col. Woods has accepted heavy responsibilities in connection with the wartime work of the Canadian Red Cross Society.

Reports from wartime England have their humorous side. In one district Scouts worked hard and long filling straw pailsasses, brewing cocoa and digging sanitary pits in readiness for an expected trainload of evacuees. These failed to arrive, so the Scouts emptied the pailsasses, filled in the pits and drank the coffee.

Buy an Apple from the Scouts Saturday.**SAVE for a Farm of YOUR OWN**

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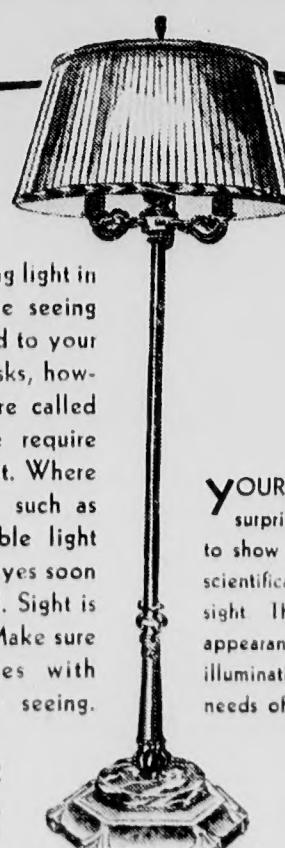
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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

An embargo has been placed on the export of scrap iron and steel from Canada to all countries except Canada's wartime allies.

Following passage of Ontario's revised Succession Duty Act, Premier Hepburn announced a new drive for collection of taxes from old estates.

Hon. Norman Rogers, defence minister, said in a statement the Canadian Medical Association has offered its full service to Canada in war effort.

A special permit must be obtained from the Canadian government before United States planes may fly to Canadian airports, a transport department official said.

More than 200 persons were reported killed in an earthquake said to have caused the caving in of more than 1,000 buildings in the Smyrna region in Turkey.

Mayors of the nine largest South African cities have approved a proposal by the mayor of Johannesburg to raise £1,000,000 by popular subscription to buy food for Great Britain.

The government will send overseas no soldier under 19 years old and will not call up for overseas service anyone below the age of 20 under the National Service Act. War Secretary Leslie Hore-Belisha told the House of Commons.

C. H. (Punch) Dickens of Winnipeg, general superintendent of Canadian Airways, said the company will maintain its air services despite the war. The line has lost seven pilots to the Royal Canadian Air Force, he said.

Dean F. M. Clements of the University of British Columbia faculty of agriculture thinks British Columbia should increase its agricultural output and stop imports of foodstuffs from the prairies. "Prairie produce is needed by the Allies," he said.

Reindeer Moss

Found Abundantly In Canadian Northland, It Has Many Uses

The gathering and packing of reindeer moss, one of the lichens, a little known forest product which grows extensively throughout Canada, for decorative purposes has commercial possibilities, according to the Dominion Forest Service, Department of Mines and Resources, Ottawa. This moss-like material is particularly abundant in the Canadian Northland, where it is an important source of food supply for the barren-land caribou. Mixed with flour this lichen also may be baked into bread or biscuits, and early French voyageurs to Canada are said to have used it for this purpose.

In Norway this lichen is widely used for stock food, and in that country the merchandising of it as a decorative material has developed into a substantial industry. It is ideal for making centrepieces, wreaths, dish gardens, terrarium, and other ornamental decorations. Each year large quantities of Norwegian lichen are sold in the United States for Christmas decorations, and at the New York World's Fair it has been used extensively as hedges and trees in dioramic displays.

Honey Shipments

Canada's Exports To Great Britain Increasing Rapidly

The development of Canada's exports of honey to the British market has been spectacular. From a trade so small in volume before the Great War that it was not shown separately in the British trade returns, honey exports from Canada to the United Kingdom have grown by leaps and bounds until Canada is now the largest individual supplier of honey to the British market which draws its honey supplies from all parts of the world. In 1938 Canada exported 31,121 cwts. of honey to the British market as against 17,127 cwts. from New Zealand, 16,665 from the West Indies, 8,479 cwts. from the United States and 6,620 cwts. from Australia. In these measurements, the cwt. equals 112 pounds.

Brailed playing cards are now available to blind persons, who, by the way, because of their unusual power of concentration, are better-than-average bridge players.

Production To Continue

Bata Shoe Plant Will Not Be Affected By War

Increasing activity in all branches of the plant has been noted at the Bata Shoe Company's Frankford location near Belleville, Ont., and 272 workers are now being employed there.

Outbreak of war in Europe will not result in any noticeable changes either in production, output or future plans, it was learned definitely from Thomas Bata, head of the Canadian company.

"We anticipated just such an event several months ago," Mr. Bata said, "and we made our plans accordingly. That is one of our strong reasons for wishing to begin manufacturing in Canada. I can safely say that the war in Europe will not change our plans in any respect."

With the 272 now employed, Bata officials state that something less than 300 pairs of shoes per day are being turned out. The work in the production department is, as yet, almost wholly instructional. Of those employed in the production department, the quota is, roughly, six Canadians to one Czech instructor.

At present, 82 Czech workers, women and men, are employed, with the remaining 190 coming from Frankford, Trenton and Belleville and the surrounding district. This represents a distinct curtailment of the number of unemployed in the area.

Canadian Granite Used

To Build Dominion's War Memorial Unveiled By The King

Canadian granite was used in the construction of the Dominion's war memorial which was unveiled by the King on the recent visit of Their Majesties to Ottawa. Fifty-nine blocks were employed in building the monument, their total weight amounting to 828 tons. The largest piece weighs more than 42 tons, and was cut from a block which, when quarried, weighed 60 tons.

HOME SERVICE

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And what smart styles, lovely fabrics there are! The slip cover sketched is a modernistic design in rust on beige cotton crash, with moss trimming in rust. To make it—or any cover for chair or sofa—you just over the simple pin-on way.

Remove cushions, smooth fabric down back and over seat. If you use moss trimming, work with the fabric wrong side out. Pin every three inches along edges of chair and cut, allowing 1½ inches outside pins for seams. In the same way fit fabric directly to the arm, sides, and back.

Then to baste parts together, try on for last-minute adjustments before final stitching.

You will find each step in making slip covers clearly explained and diagrammed in our 32-page booklet. Tells how to cut, fit, and finish covers for all types of chairs and sofas. Gives tips on smart color schemes, fabrics, trimmings.

Send 15¢ in coins for your copy of "How to Make Slip Covers" to Home Service Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave. E., Winnipeg.

The following booklets are also available at 15¢ each:

155 "Glass Gardens and Novelty Indoor Gardens".

176 "How to Improve Your Bridge".

147 "How to Budget and Buy for Better Living".

Valera Abounds Visit

A short wave broadcast from London received in New York, said that the proposed visit to the United States of Eamon de Valera, premier of Eire, had been abandoned.

SUAVELY GRACEFUL FALL STYLE

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"Fit for a queen" . . . and designed just for you, this Anne Adams dress. It has such breathtaking new features that no one will even notice your extra pounds, yet it's easy-as-pie to make. See how the belt brings in the contrast idea, so smart for Fall, by using tabs and a stitched-on tie of bright color. A gay note on black or brown! The darted waistline keeps your diaphragm smooth and releases fullness above, matched by gathers below the devastating, new triple-scalloped yokes. The neckline curves to a low V. Make scallop-trimmed sleeves in three-quarter length, or have short puffs. All in all, Pattern 4220 makes a dress you'll wear with pride!

Pattern 4220 is available in women's sizes 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46 and 48. Sizes 36 takes 3½ yards 39 inch fabric.

Send twenty cents (20c) in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) for this Anne Adams pattern. Write plainly Size, Name, Address and Style Number and send order to the Anne Adams Pattern Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave. E., Winnipeg.

SELECTED RECIPES

ECONOMICAL CUP CAKES

1½ cups sifted Swans Down Cake Flour
1½ teaspoons baking powder
¼ teaspoon salt
4 tablespoons butter or other shortening
2½ cup sugar
1 egg unbeaten
1½ cup milk
½ teaspoon vanilla

Sift flour, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift together three times. Cream butter thoroughly, add sugar gradually, and cream together until light and fluffy. Add egg and beat well. Add flour alternately with milk, a small amount at a time, beating well after each addition. Add vanilla. Bake in greased cup-cake pans in moderate oven (375 degrees F.) 20 to 25 minutes. Makes 12.

DESSERT DOUGHNUTS

2½ cups sifted Swans Down Cake Flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
½ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon nutmeg
2 eggs or 4 egg yolks, well beaten
½ cup sugar
½ cup heavy cream

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, salt, and nutmeg, and sift together three times. Beat eggs until very light and thick. Add sugar and continue beating until light and fluffy. Add flour, alternately with cream, a small amount at a time, beating after each addition until smooth. Turn out on well floured board and knead lightly 30 seconds. Roll ½ inch thick; cut with floured 1¾-inch doughnut cutter. Fry in deep fat (370 degrees F.) until rich brown, turning frequently. Drain on unglazed paper. Cool; sprinkle with confectioners' sugar. Makes 30 small doughnuts.

Must Be Well Fed

Hens to do well must be fed well. Turned loose to pick up their feed, they won't do well. They may get along for a time during the summer, but they never will produce a lot of good eggs. Feed balanced rations and provide limestone or oyster shell and plenty of good, clean drinking water.

Gave Away Fortune

Woman Recluse Contributed Secretly To Many Charities In England

Led a fortune of \$175,000. Miss Amy Hare, 78-year-old recluse, of Oakwood Court Kensington W., London, secretly gave away more than \$165,000 in eight years.

When Miss Hare died and her will was published it revealed that she left only \$5,000.

It is just eight years ago that Miss Hare inherited the \$175,000 which was left to her by the Hon. Isabel Mary Portman, the violinist.

Miss Hare, who was also a musician, at once went to live at Oakwood Court, a large block of flats with her companion, Miss Conan. During the whole time she was there she never left her flat, and received no visitors.

Miss Hare did her good deeds in secret.

"Practically all her fortune was given away to different charities," a friend said.

"It was all done anonymously, and there can be few deserving institutions in London who have not received contributions from Miss Hare at some time or other. All her gifts were sent in notes."

General Jan Christian Smuts

Is One Of Great Britain's Strongest Supporters In War

Lemuel F. Parton, writing in the New York Sun, says:

Lean, bald, bearded, steely-eyed old Gen. Jan Christian Smuts wins over the similarly characterized Premier Hertzog, puts South Africa on the side of Britain in the war and again takes the premiership.

"Slim Janny," as they call him at home, is a statesman, peace advocate, botanist and philosopher who fought with Oom Paul Kruger against the British early in the century and led an army of Boers and British against the Germans in the world war. In world affairs he was unfailingly liberal. As Premier of South Africa he was a dictator and answered recalcitrant labor with bullets and bayonets. Nationalists and Laborites drove him from power in 1924.

He was called the "Happy Warrior" long before Al Smith was so labelled. As a philosopher, a former president of the British Association for the Advancement of Science, he pioneers the "genetic, organic, holistic universe." He was a Boer farmer who became an honor graduate of Oxford.

Plowing Experiments

Shown That Shallow Plowing Produces High Yields

Experiments conducted by the Field Husbandry Division, Dominion Experimental Farms, have shown that shallow plowing produces as high yields as deep plowing at a considerable saving in power requirements. Furthermore, tillage beyond that required for weed control and reasonably good seed bed preparation has no beneficial effect on yields.

In many districts of the prairie provinces plowing for summer-fallow has been largely dispensed with in favor of the "plowless fallow" by surface cultivation. In eastern Canada plowing sod land in the summer with after-harvest cultivation where weeds are troublesome, and plowing in late fall on less weedy land, have both proved superior to spring plowing, especially on heavy soils. One advantage of summer or fall plowing is that it facilitates the early seeding of cereal crops which experiments have clearly shown to be very desirable.

For Greater Safety

Mr. Wismar's proposal for an amendment to the Motor Vehicles Act demanding that pedestrians walk on the left of the highway facing the traffic is a timely and needed measure, states the Vancouver Sun. Any one who walks on the right with the traffic at his back, especially in the dark, expecting car light to pick him out of the shadows, is taking the risk of involuntary suicide.

An electrically lighted fishing pole is a cute idea, but the inventor made the mistake of telling a game warden about it in New Mexico, where night fishing is illegal.

Elderly Lady: "Isn't it wonderful how these filling station people know exactly where to set up a pump and get gas?"

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LIVE LONGER

When you have lived to middle life you may feel as hearty and vigorous as ever you did, but it would be wise to have your heart examined at regular intervals.

One's arteries usually gradually harden as the person grows older. This condition is particularly serious when it affects the arteries upon which the heart muscle depends for its nourishment. If one of these arteries (coronary arteries) hardens and thickens, its diameter narrows; the circulation is clogged and the heart weakens. In advanced cases this condition is known as arteriosclerosis or coronary heart disease. Usually a condition of past middle life, it may occur in persons of 50, 40 or even younger.

The newspaper headings of sudden death from heart disease are produced among men and women who didn't know that there was anything wrong with their hearts. The way to find out is by consulting a competent doctor who after examination will tell you. In the earlier stages of the affection there may be no pain, no shortness of breath and the person feels well. That is the time to make sure about your condition. After 40 it is a matter of wisdom to see your doctor regularly, that is at least once a year. Many lives would be prolonged in comfort if this were the common practice.

In young persons as well as in the older, rheumatic fever is a common cause of heart disease. A child who suffers from swollen joints or muscle pains should have prompt medical care. The "poison" of rheumatic fever may affect the valves and muscle of the heart. It may be years before the damage is discovered. Promptness in recognizing this condition with prompt medical care and after care may save the heart from serious injury. There is nothing so valuable in promoting health as the early discovery and treatment of heart conditions.

Editorial Note: Readers desiring the complete set of Dr. McCullough's cancer articles at once may secure same by writing to The Health League of Canada, 105 Bond St., Toronto, Ont.

Cost Of Sand Bags

Demand In Britain Causes Prices To Soar

With a crisis, the price of sandbags in Britain goes up. And with a war, prices soar.

Sandbags which cost about five cents in June now cost eight to 10 cents. Price rose two shillings (44 cents) a hundred in the week before the declaration of war.

Much of the jute used to make sandbags comes from Calcutta and with the close of British Mediterranean shipping, cost of shipping increased, and private firms could no longer guarantee deliveries.

Another factor was the demand of the government for all available bags. Authorities stress that the uncertainty of shipping and the government demand, and not profiteering, were the primary causes of the rise.

Filler for the bags has also become more expensive, with sand rising from seven shilling (\$1.54) to 10 shillings (\$2.20) a ton. Because sand cannot be obtained quickly enough, sandbags in many places are being filled with earth.

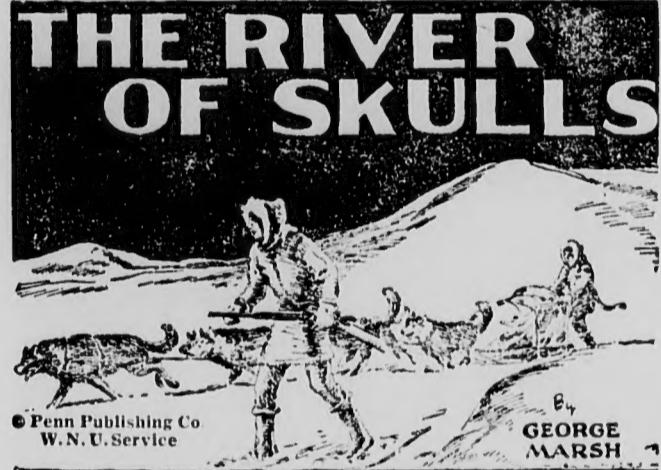
Speaking of bridge, a foolish contemporary says the reason that women play the game is simply to have something to think about while they talk.

Over 400 years ago Leonardo da Vinci observed that trees in northern Italy formed growth rings which differed in dry and wet years.

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CHAPTER VI.—Continued

The night the canoes reached the forks, the police came to Alan's camp.

"Well, Cameron, we're here," said McQueen, with a sigh of satisfaction, lighting his pipe with a red ember from the supper fire. "Now it's up to you to decide whether you're going to stay stiff-necked and later pay the penalty of the law, or will decide to be sensible and talk."

"We've been all over this, sergeant," demurred Alan, with an air of indifference which belied the anxiety that harassed him. "It's not up to me. It's up to you. You say McCord is somewhere in this country. Now which river are you going to take to the height-of-land?"

For a space McQueen closely studied the baffling features of the man whose gray gaze did not waver. Then his shaggy brows met and his pale eyes glittered ominously. "We're going to cover all three rivers before the ice," he snapped.

Alan glanced at Noel. There was not time to cover the wide headwaters of even one river before the ice. His heart pined in his throat as he asked with seeming indifference: "Well, which first?"

"Your country's on this north branch, you say?" McQueen leaned toward the other as he went on, insinuatingly: "Well, young man, I figure that's just where you ran into McCord—in your own country."

Like a flash, inspiration came to Alan. Here was his chance! Slowly over his bronzed features crept a look of frustration—of defeat. His eyes shifted before the fixed stare of

the policeman as, expelling the breath from his lungs in a deep sigh, he horrified the listening Noel with: "What's the use? You're bound to get him before you're through—you police always do, they tell me. We met McCord last winter on the headwater lakes of the Mad River."

On the Indian's swart features there was a lightning swift transition from a look of pained surprise to one of stoic acquiescence. Gravely he nodded agreement, as he met Slade's startling admission, as he met Slade's sudden glance.



"Ah-hah! So that's it, is it?" With a grunt of satisfaction the delighted McQueen thrust out his big hand and gripped Alan's. "Now you're talking like a good citizen, my boy!" he cried, slapping the hunter on the back. "Shake with the boys, Tom. I knew they'd come through!"

So with much handshaking and patting of Alan's broad back the police left to cross to their camp. When they were well out of hearing on the moonlit river, Alan turned to Noel.

"It was our best chance," he said, "to send them up the Mad River. We'll take them into the Caribou Lake country and lose them, while one of us strikes cross country to the Talking and warns John. I was afraid, Noel, they'd want to try the Talking first, so I threw up my hands to head them off."

"Ah-hah! We get dem een dose mancee little lae, we're de water run bot' way, den dey not get out till de ice."

For a long space Alan sat staring into the fire. "It'll give John a chance to lose himself somewhere over the height-of-land before they come back here to the forks and

start with their dogs to hunt for him on the first snow."

"Wat dey do wid us—dose poleee, wen dey see we foot dem?"

"This will make us outlaws, Noel—helping a man wanted for murder. Outlaws!"

The Montagnais "Moon of the Falling Leaves" was riding the sky above the tundra-sentinel valley of the Talking River. The days of the long twilights were over and earlier and earlier, the swarming stars stippled the violet sky. One September morning, a girl stood on the shore of the river beside a path leading back through the timber to a clearing. She wore heavy white breeches, laced below the knee, high woolen socks and moccasins. At her belt of plaited caribou hide hung a small skinning knife in a sheath ornamented with colored beads. In her strong, round arms, from which the sleeves of her gray, woolen shirt were rolled high above the elbow, was a bundle of washing.

The girl put the clothes to soak in a small pool dug in the sand beach, then dropped to her knees and with a finger idly made tracings in the sand. After a while the swish of whipping wings caused her to lift her eyes. Within a few yards of the shore three sheldrake skittered downstream. A Canada jay croaked from an aspen whose yellow leaves shimmered in the breeze. She looked at her tracings and smiled as she read the name, Alan Cameron. Again there was a whipping of wings and five sheldrake passed.

"I wonder what's startled the ducks?" she said aloud, glancing up river.

Far above her Heather made out a dark object moving along the opposite shore downstream, appearing, only to disappear again among the willows and alders.

"A bear!" she cried.

Then her mouth opened slowly in surprise as she stared at the opposite shore. "Why, there it is!" she gasped. "But it's not a bear! It's—it's a dog! It can't be! Yes, it is, it's—who-hoo! Roughy! Roughy!"

she cried, delirious with excitement as she danced on the beach.

Like a statue, on the opposite shore stood a black husky with white face markings, chest and socks, intently watching her.

"Roughy! Roughy!" she called, frantically waving her arms at the motionless animal, while tears blurred her eyes. "Oh, they're back! Alan's back!" she repeated ecstatically between sobs. "He didn't forget us! Alan's back!"

The watching dog went quick with life. With a wild yelping he plunged into the swift river, his powerful legs driving him like piston rods. Keeping abreast of him as the current carried him downstream, the girl followed the shore, calling to him as she swam.

"Roughy, dear old Roughy! Where's Alan, boy?"

His feet touched bottom and with a lunge, he was out. With a shake the great dog sent the water flying, then froze as if carved from stone, ears forward, nostrils working, as he studied her through oblique eyes.

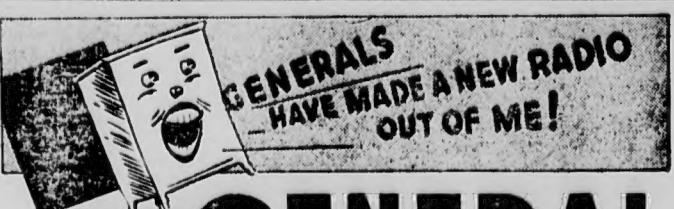
"Roughy, don't you know Heather?" he laughed.

Heather's eyes fell before his. "Oh, you got your dogs and what beauties!" she cried as the three Un-gavas thrashed in the water of the shore, yelping at the swimming Rough.

"Two slate-grays and a brown one! Dad'll be so glad! Why he's talked about nothing but your coming back."

"Here you, Shot, Powder!" he called. "Come here! Don't try to touch them now, Heather. You're shy of strangers, aren't you, Rogue, you old sinner?"

The dogs came in from the water and gathered around Alan.



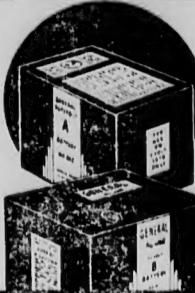
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Ward Of British Sailors

Gunboat's Crew Raised Fund To Educate Chinese War Orphan

A foster-father has been found for the best-known war orphan in China, the baby girl who was saved last October by bluejackets of the British river gunboat Sandpiper at Changsha, capital of Hunan Province.

The Chinese secretary of the British Methodist Mission at Changsha has legally adopted the infant, who was given a Chinese name meaning "Water Fairy" by her rescuers. During a Japanese air raid on Changsha the baby was blown into the water from a bombed junk, rescued by British sailors, given artificial respiration on the deck of the Sandpiper, and then sent to the American Yale-in-China Hospital at Changsha.

While in this hospital she became the godchild of Mme. Chiang Kai-shek and Sir Archibald Clark Kerr, British Ambassador to China, and the ward of Commander W. E. J. Eames, the Australian commander of the gunboat, and the rest of the ship's company.

The crew of the Sandpiper, Reuter states, has raised an education fund of 1,000 dollars for the little girl, ready for the day when she will be old enough to go to school.

Another Discovery

Scientists Take Temperature Of Fingers To Gauge Emotions

Taking the temperature of the fingers is a new method of gauging emotions, just announced by two New York physicians at a scientific meeting at Palo Alto, Calif. Tension, anxiety and conflict reduce the temperature by as much as 23 degrees in an hour, it is said. Anger, fear, depression and elation produce a lesser cooling, while thoughts of love and marriage send the Fahrenheit upward.

All this may be very scientific and may even revolutionize the process of psychological diagnosis. But it also suggests a new technique for amorous young men to adopt with a bashful subject toward the objective of holding hands in the moonlight.

Nine times in ten a person who asks you a question isn't seeking information. He either wants to tell you his answer, or he's trying to start an argument.

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The West Coast has many attractions for the traveller who likes his winter without snow. The gardens of the ivy-clad Empress and other beauty spots on the island retain their beauty and freshness all year round; riding, golf, tennis, swimming, fishing, and town crawling continue throughout the winter; the Midway, with its great amusement park, continues through the cold, as do numerous winter sports.

all over the continent; Christmas at the Empress is a celebration complete with boar's head, yule logs, wassail, bowl and carols, with a novel after-dinner social glass out on the open lawn.

The contrast offered by Victoria is really amazing, especially after a train ride across the country. From the windows of the warm train the traveller will see typical Canadian winter scenery, — and then Victoria with its flowers, its inclement weather and its year-round golf and other summer sports.

This year, many people have been killed on streets and highways. Hundreds of others were injured and the heavy vacation months are still to be heard from.

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LOCAL & GENERAL

Miss Maisie Sinclair, of Calgary, spent Sunday at her home here.

Miss Dorothy Ranton was a visitor to Calgary for the weekend.

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Knox Junior Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. George Parsons, Jr., on Tuesday, October 24th, at 8 p.m.

Mr. Chet Ogan, of Canmore, was visiting friends in town for a few days last week.

Dr. Arnold Liesemer came by aeroplane on Friday from Chicago to attend the funeral of his mother, the late Mrs. W. G. Liesemer.

Private Jack Booker, on leave from the Calgary Highlanders, was a weekend visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Booker.

Mrs. W. T. Pitt left for Vancouver on Monday, having been called there on account of the illness of her daughter, Mrs. George Brewster.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kreuger went to Calgary, on Monday, where they attended the golden wedding anniversary of their friends Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith.

K Roy McLean, Optometrist and Optician — Special visit to Rosebud Hotel, Wednesday afternoon October 25. Thursday to Saturday consult in Calgary, 209 Southam Bldg.

Miss Mary Lindreth of Lauder, Manitoba, visited her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Sinclair and family last week. She was on her way home from Vernon and Vancouver, B.C.

Signaller Chas. Lumsden, of the Royal Canadian Corps of Signals, and Private Bill Clarke of the Canadian Army Service Corps, were renewing acquaintances in town over weekend.

Buy Your Fall or Winter Underwear from Scott's—our prices are not advanced in these lines.

Lovely to look at, but dangerous to love, is Luise Rainer in "The Toy Wife" at the movies this weekend, with Mel Douglas and Robt. Young. Romance, picturesque New Orleans.

LOCAL & GENERAL

Fourteen young people of the Knox Church attended the Rally of the Red Deer Presbytery United Church Young People's Union, held at Crossfield on Monday evening. Miss Betty Fulton was elected to the executive of the Union.

The Senior Ladies' Aid of the Knox Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Bruce Parker one week earlier, on Friday, October 27th, instead of November 3. In case of adverse weather conditions the meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. W. Gillrie.

A number of local Masons attended the annual meeting of District No. 4 of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Alberta, held at Lacombe last Wednesday. Mr. James Murray, of Olds, was elected District Deputy Grand Master. Olds was chosen as the meeting place for next year.

Beekeepers of Alberta are being invited to attend the annual convention of the provincial association to be held in the I.O.O.F. Hall, Edmonton, on October 24th and 25th. Prominent speakers will address the gatherings. Problems of marketing, swarm control and wintering are slated for discussion. In view of the growing importance of Alberta as a honey-producing province, a successful convention is anticipated.

Amateur concert and dance will be sponsored by the Canadian Legion on Friday, Nov. 10th Opera House.

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Today we are faced with an emergency as great as any of these—greater, in fact, because it is less spectacular and arouses less alarm.

This emergency is the rising traffic toll.

A lot of us have had the smug idea that we had the traffic problem whipped. Last year Alberta cut its death toll; this year started out the same way.

Then something happened. We started stepping on the gas and jay-walking again. Accidents shot up. The safety drive faltered, then bogged down.

And early this year, the Alberta Safety League reports, the traffic death toll went up for the first time in months.

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